

A JOURNEY OF

# RESPONSIBILITY



# I WANT GTS UK TO STILL BE RELEVANT IN 30 YEARS' TIME

The companies that will succeed long term are those committed to Sustainability, ESG and not greenwashing.

**This means actions not words.**

We all have a responsibility to our children, grandchildren, and future generations to always act with sustainability in mind.

Everyone must play their part and I want our company to work honestly and with urgency to do what needs to be done.

This is a journey, and we are fully on board.

**Tony Prescott, MD, GTS UK**






To always provide a reliable logistics service with a positive, solutions-focused approach that builds long-term customer relationships - **all with sustainability and the environment at its heart.**



# WHERE ARE WE NOW?

AND WHERE ARE WE  
HEADING IF WE **DON'T** ACT?





Transport is responsible for **25%** of all global CO2 emissions. If nothing changes, this will be **40%** by 2030.



# OUR FIRST STEP:

We will **ensure** there are clear and accurate processes in place to measure the business' impact on the environment, carbon usage and CO2 emissions.



**WE WILL:**



APPOINT AN  
INTERNAL  
**SUSTAINABILITY  
CHAMPION**  
WITHIN GTS UK

This individual will be trained, qualified/accredited and will be responsible for driving the strategy *forward*.



# BE HONEST AND TRANSPARENT

with partners and clients about their **impact on the environment**. This will include placing CO2 emission data on invoices and documents alongside the cost.





**Commit to work with partners and customers  
to help them reduce their own carbon footprint.**



# DEDICATE A SET AMOUNT OF TIME...

**(6-10 hours) every month**

...to **educate people** about logistics, the future of the industry, and its impact on economies across the globe. This will include both internal and external stakeholders, public presentations and talks at schools, colleges and universities.





Ensure that **50%** of all our business miles (for meetings, travel, administrative duties) will be in

# ELECTRIC VEHICLES

We will do this by providing an electric pool car. The aim is that all business miles will be in electric/hydrogen vehicles within **3-4 years.**





**OVER THE NEXT  
THREE YEARS WE  
WILL MOVE 75%  
OF OUR SUPPLY  
CHAIN ACTIVITY  
TO RAIL OR SEA**

rather than road which will  
save **70%** of CO2 emissions.



MOVE TO AN  
ENTIRELY  
**PAPERLESS/  
DIGITAL  
COMPANY**

Both as an office and within our logistics operations. All areas of our business under our control will be **100% paperless** within 12 months.



# INCREASE 'REVERSE LOGISTICS'

Which means reducing empty containers. We will commit to reducing empty UK shipments by:

**10%** in the next 12 months

**15%** in 24 months

**25%** in the next 36 months

'REVERSE

LOGISTICS'



A semi-truck is driving away from the viewer on a two-lane road that stretches into the distance. The road is flanked by dense trees and foliage, creating a tunnel-like effect. The sky is bright, suggesting a sunset or sunrise, with light filtering through the trees. The truck is a large, dark-colored semi-trailer truck. The overall mood is serene and forward-looking.

To have in place by the end of 2024,  
**a viability analysis of the latest  
innovations and technology  
for greener trucks** with realistic  
implementation timelines aligned  
to our growth plans.



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